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ALL PERSONS FOUND TRESPASSING ON THE premises known as the STRAWBERRY VALE FARM, Section 34 Victoria District, known as the OAKLAND FARM, and the part known as Section 31 of the UPLAND FARM, next Mount Tolmie, will be prosecuted, and ALL DOGS found therein will be destroyed. GOODACRE & DOOLEY.
Victoria, B.C., 15th July, 1879. jy16

VICTORIA HIDE DEPOT.

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OF ALL KINDS—FOR SALE AT
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my3 Next the Postoffice.

NOTICES.

TESTIMONIAL.

THE UNDERSIGNED, MASTER OF THE wrecked ship Becherdass Ambladass begs to return his sincere thanks to Mr. EMANUEL COX, keeper of Cape Beale light, and MRS. COX for their kindness and attention to himself and family under the most trying circumstances. He has also to particularly notice the bravery of Mr. Cox in assisting to man a canoe and accompanying the mate of the ship to Dodger's Cove for the purpose of securing the valuable assistance of Captain Spring and his crew, to whom he is also greatly indebted for many kindnesses.
W. S. WILLIAMS.
Victoria, B.C., July 31, 1879. auldw

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of Samuel Walker, an Insolvent.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS BEEN ISSUED in this cause, and the creditors are notified to meet at office of assignee in Barkerville on Friday the 15th day of August next, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an assignee if they see fit.
C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, July 4th, 1879. jy5dw

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE ENTERED INTO partnership at the premises lately occupied by Hie Lee, situate on Cormorant street in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, as general traders, under the style of Tie & Wey.
LAM TIE,
LAM WEY.
Witness—
HENRY C. COURTNEY, Attorney.
Victoria, July 1st, 1879. jy22

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL NOT BE RESPONsible for any debt contracted in his name, or on his behalf, unless under a written order from him.
J. JUDSON YOUNG.
Victoria, 15th July, 1879. jy16

In the Matter of Ludyer Brouzseau.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO OR HAVING ANY property part of this estate, are requested to pay the amount or hand over the property to the Administrator, John George Green, of Quesnelle, B. C. And all persons having claims against the Estate are resquested to furnish the Administrator with particulars of the same.
Dated at Victoria, July 28th, 1879.
DRAKE & JACKSON,
jy29 Solicitors for the Administrator.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of George Thomas Seymour, Deceased

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons having any claims against the said estate are required to forward them, on or before the 1st day of October, 1879, to
JAMES CHARLES PREVOST,
jy5 Administrator.

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A stream, about 12 feet wide, 400 yards from place of beginning, empties into the passage.
Application to purchase was made by me on the 15th November, 1877.
W. H. WOODCOCK.
Victoria, July 8th, 1879. jy23dw2m

JOSEPH CROTHUS,

A NATIVE OF IRELAND, WILL OBLIGE BY sending his address to
A. B. FERGUSON.
Clinton, July 15th, 1879. jy20dw1m

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
jy30 LD. LOWENBERG

THE PARTNERSHIP

WHICH HAS HERETOFORE EXISTED BEtween the undersigned under the name of Hayward & Jenkinson has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.
Mr. Charles Hayward, who will henceforth carry on the business on his own account, will receive all monies owing to and discharge all liabilities of the late firm.
CHAS. HAYWARD,
ROBT. JENKINSON,
Witness—R. E. JACKSON.
26th June, 1879. m

DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP HITHERTO EXISTING between Alexander Phillips and Paul Bocion has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All outstanding accounts will be collected by Alexander Phillips, who will also pay all liabilities and continue the business.
Victoria, B. C., June 24th, 1879.
A. PHILLIPS.
P. BOCION.
Witness—M. CAMSUSA. je25

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REMOVAL.

MR. JOHN TEAGUE,

ARCHITECT

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STOCKS AND MINES.

LOWHEE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

GENERAL MEEEING.

A GENERAL MEEEING OF THE LOWHEE Quartz Mining Company will be held at the Company's office, Barkerville, on Monday, August 25th, 1879, at 7:30 p.m., to consider the expediency of dissolving the corporation and dividing the assets of the company among the shareholders.
By order of the Board of Directors.
CHARLES WILSON, Secty.
Barkerville, B. C., Aug. 2nd, 1879. au10dw

WAVERLY HYDRAULIC MINING COMPANY, LIMITED

Location of Works, Grouse Creek, Cariboo.

ASSESSMENT No. 1.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company held on the 28th day of July, 1879, an assessment of $3 per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on the First day of August, 1879, to Charles Wilson, Secretary, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on 17th day of Aug., 1879, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction and, unless payment be made before, will be sold on the 22nd day of September, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.
CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.
Barkerville, B. C., Aug. 2nd, 1879. au10dw

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED)

Location of Works, Wilkinson Lode, Cariboo.

THERE IS DELINQUENT UPON THE FOLLOWing described stock on account of Assessment No. 5, levied on the 15th day of June, 1879, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective Shareholders, as follows:—

Name.	No. of Certif.	No. of Shares	Amt.
D. J. Bigelow	383	100	$ 1 00
do	384	100	1 00
do	385	100	1 00
Louis Erb	595	100	1 00
do	596	100	1 00
do	597	100	1 00
do	598	100	1 00
do	599	100	1 00
do	600	100	1 00
do	601	100	1 00
do	602	50	50
do	603	50	50
do	604	50	50
do	605	50	50
do	606	50	50
do	607	50	50
Walter Budd	745	1000	10 00
J. R. Gaston	8	100	1 00
do	641	100	1 00
J. C. Keith	168	500	5 00
W. W. Armstrong	243	100	1 00
D. M. Eberts	725	100	1 00
E. G. Prior	265	500	5 00
J. Burns	792	100	1 00
do	793	100	1 00
J. W. Finlayson	640	50	50
M. Redman	763	1000	10 00
N. McFarland	766	500	5 00
J. W. Moxley	805	150	1 50
W. M. Cameron	825	350	3 50
J. Sullivan	826	500	5 00

And in accordance with law so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at the Company's Office, Barkerville, B. C., on the Fifteenth day of August, at the hour of Five in the afternoon of said day to pay said delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale. CHARLES WILSON,
jy29dw Secretary, Barkerville, B. C.

QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

Location of Works, Hixon Creek, B. C

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held this 5th day of July, 1879, the 10th Assessment of of One cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on the 7th day of July, 1879, to the Secretary, at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B. C.
Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 16th Aug, 1879, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment of same together with costs of advertising shall be made before, will be sold at public auction on Saturday, 6th day of Sept, 1879, at the office of the said Company, Quesnelle, B.C., to pay the delinquent assessments, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.
R. J. SKINNER, Secretary.
Quesnelle, B.C., 5th July, 1879. jy13dw

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

ASSESSMENT No. 6 OF ONE CENT PER SHARE has this day been levied, payable at the Company's office in Victoria on or before Friday, the 29th day of August, 1879, date of delinquency.
By order of the Directors.
G. A. SARGISON, Secretary.
Victoria, 1st August, 1879. au2

TENDERS.

PACIFIC RAILWAY TENDERS.

TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF about one hundred miles of Railway, West of Red River, in the Province of Manitoba, will be received by the undersigned until noon on Friday, 1st August next.
The Railway will commence at Winnipeg, and run North-westerly to connect with the main line in the neighborhood of the 4th base line, and thence Westerly between Prairie la Portage and Lake Manitoba.
Tenders must be on the printed form, which, with all other information, may be had at the Pacific Railway Engineer's Offices in Ottawa and Winnipeg.
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.
Department of Railways and Canals,
OTTAWA, 16th June, 1879. jy6

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Passengers are requested to be on board by midnight on Saturday.
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For Fort Wrangel, the Boundary Line on Stickeen River and Way Ports.

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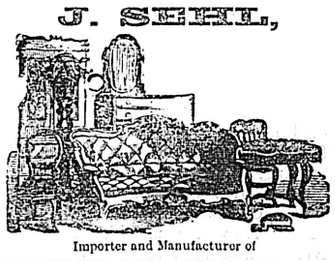

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Victoria, July 21st, 1879. jy22 1m

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Daily Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, AUG. 12TH, 1879.

RECENT APPOINTMENTS.

Having stood shoulder to shoulder, politically, for many years with several of the gentlemen who have recently been called upon to fill important and lucrative positions under the Local Government, and having the utmost confidence in their ability, integrity and earnestness of purpose, we shall not be suspected of viewing recent appointments with disfavor or of indulging in censorious remarks upon the Government for their action thereanent. The Isandula victory which the political Zulus of the Province won in 1878 is too fresh in the popular mind to need the exercise of our poor descriptive powers now. It is sufficient to remark that the party whom we supported sustained a great reverse and passed through the dark valley and shadow of political death—for which, however, it is comforting to know there is provided a glorious resurrection. The majority with which the existing Government controlled the House during the past two sessions has caused them to imagine themselves comparatively independent of public opinion, and in the name of Responsible Government they have been guilty of acts of oppression and meanness towards appointees of the preceding Government—in one instance, at least, hounding a poor man, whose crime consisted in his having accepted a small office under the ELLIOTT Administration, into an untimely grave, and in several other instances so insulting and disgusting old and tried officials by the imposition of degrading regulations that they have left the service rather than subscribe to them. Vacancies were thus created and an unusual amount of patronage fell to the disposal of this Government. "To the victims belong the spoils," was the favorite quotation of the party that is now in power when they shivered in the cold shades of opposition; and pledges were made to followers before election which entitled them—all things being equal—to consideration at the hands of the Government. If vacancies were created—if good men were elbowed out of the public offices by dishonorable practices and obnoxious rules which no man possessed of a particle of spirit would submit to a moment longer than was necessary to write out his resignation, to whom should the prizes—the vacated offices—pass? Not into those of the assegaied army, surely? Not into the hands of supporters of the late Administration who had resisted, by all the means within their reach, the defeat of that Government? Yet so it is! With two exceptions the appointments of the existing Government have been made from the rank and file of their opponents, who are now actually foraging in the camp of the successful army! It is as if CETEWAYO with his indunas had resigned their commands, disbanded their followers and called on WOLSELEY or CHELMSFORD to form a new impi from their own troops! MACHIAVELLI advised politicians to spike their enemies' guns with conciliation. Friends being already won, he says, it is not necessary to do anything for them; but it becomes the duty of the politician who desires to retain power to bestow favors on his opponents and so win them over to his standard. Has the Premier taken a leaf from the wily Italian's book? Is he, in the dispensal of public patronage, following the deceitful advice of one who wrote in a past and gone age, when men were besotted with ignorance and reeked with corruption? Does he imagine that his friends will be content with the husks of empty promises whilst he fills the bellies of his enemies with the corn his friends helped him to garner?

We utter no complaint at the extraordinary turn political affairs have taken. Several staunch friends of ours have been benefitted. We are glad to know that they have prospered, and offer our congratulations. It would ill become us, then, to find fault with the Government. If they can reconcile their course with their pledges before and after election—if their followers, many of whom are respectable and competent, are satisfied, why should we find fault? Why, indeed? Had the ELLIOTT Government remained in power could they have done more for their friends than the WALKEM Government are now doing? Clearly, the Zulus who lurk in the mealie fields of James Bay have capitulated upon the heels of a great victory, and have come over bag and baggage to the party they lately routed! Our opinion is that they will prove very undesirable neighbors. Various are the causes assigned for this extraordinary movement. It is only necessary to notice four of the most prominent speculations, one of which is that the Premier seeks an *entree* into good society and has hit on this plan to pave the way thereto. Another asserts that disaffection has shown itself amongst his followers, that he has lost *prestige* and many friends during the recess, and seeks now to make up for his losses by showering favors on those who were and perhaps still are opponents of his policy. A third opinion is expressed that a reconstruction of the Cabinet is imminent; and a fourth is that the Premier expects to be raised to the Bench soon and as he will not again want their votes can afford to "throw off" on his friends. We attach importance to all these speculations. On no other grounds can we account for the passing over of so many good and competent men who have served the Premier faithfully for years, and the bestowal of nine-tenths of the patronage on political enemies—friends of the Opposition in the House.

NANAIMO ASSIZES.

When will an Assize Court be next held at Nanaimo? The last was held about ten months ago, and for more than nine months a witness in a criminal case has been languishing in gaol, unable to procure bail, while the criminals who were committed for trial, having given security for their appearance, are enjoying the sweets of life without the prison bars. We doubt if a parallel case can be cited in British America. To allow so long a period to elapse between courts is a gross outrage upon the individual who is undergoing confinement for no offence of his own, and an injury to the district as well. What has Nanaimo done that her interests should be slighted in this way? Are the interests of her citizens of so little importance, when contrasted with the rest of the Province, that they can be neglected with impunity? A few weeks ago in referring to this matter we took occasion to remark that the member for Nanaimo was blameable for not spurring our procrastinating Government on to a sense of their duty. We now learn that Mr. ABRAMS has done all that can be expected of him and that it is the Government alone on whom rests this most serious responsibility.

Canadian Mail.

[Per Steamer Isabel.]

QUEBEC, July 26.—Hon. Theodore Robitaille was sworn in Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec by His Excellency the Governor General at half-past 11 o'clock this morning, in the presence of Hon. Messrs. Langevin, Bowell and Baby. Subsequently, the new Lieut.-Governor had a long interview with the Hon. H. G. Joly, the Premier.

OTTAWA, July 26.—An extra of the Canada *Gazette*, issued at four p.m. today, contains the appointment of Hon. T. Robitaille to be Lieut.-Governor of the Province of Quebec, *vice* the Hon. Luc Letellier de St. Just.

A rumor that the letter of dismissal was sent to Mr. Letellier by a common carter having reached high quarters, it has given great offence. The facts are that the letter was intrusted to Mr. Hinsworth, clerk of the Privy Council for Canada, who himself drove to Spencerwood with it. He asked to see Mr. Letellier, but was told that that gentleman was engaged, so he sent it in by the footman and left.

QUEBEC, July 26.—The departure of Sir John Macdonald this morning was a veritable triumph. He was attended to the tender by a large body of friends consisting of members of the Federal Cabinet, members of the Dominion Parliament resident here, besides many from a distance. Members of the Local Opposition and nearly two hundred members of the local Conservative clubs, all of whom accompanied the Premier on the tender to the steamer, which lay in the middle of the stream.

Sir Alexander Galt and Miss Galt were also passengers by the Sarmatian.

Sir Wm. Young, Chief Justice of Nova Scotia and administrator of the Government, is 80 years of age.

NEW HAMBURG, Ont., July 27.—Last evening, about 8 o'clock, two young men named Linglebach and Schweitzer, aged 20 years, farmers' sons, living about four miles out, drove into town on their way home, stopped to have a bathe in the river. After being in the water for some time, Schweitzer took cramps and called Linglebach to save him, which he tried to do, but not being able to swim both were drowned. The bodies were both recovered last night.

MONTREAL, July 27.—John Gall attempted to elope with his step-daughter, Maggie, and when arrested at the depot created a lively scene, requiring four constables to carry him to the station. He appeared before the Recorder on Saturday. His would-be paramour is also arrested on a charge of robbery.

At a burglary committed on the 11th inst., one of the marauders, before leaving the house, kissed the wife of the proprietor, sleeping with her husband in bed. She awoke and recognized him before he got away, gave a description of him to the detectives, and to-day he was arrested and brought before the police magistrates. He now regrets his sentimentality.

PORT HOPE, July 29.—Jas. A. Montgomery was brought up this morning for examination before the police magistrate. He is charged with forgery and embezzlement and removing goods the property of his creditors. He was committed for trial.

The Governor-General will arrive in St. John, N. B., on the 6th of August, and on the 13th would leave for Prince Edward Island. He will be accompanied by the Princess Louise.

Mr. B. French, of the staff of engineers of the new Welland Canal, died suddenly at the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. Keeler, Thorold, last evening, from pneumonia.

Capt. Jno. Salmond, aged ninety, died at Charlottetown, P.E.I., on the 22nd. He was a midshipman under Nelson and served at Copenhagen in 1805. He crossed the Atlantic 68 times and never lost a man or his ship.

Canada.

HAMILTON, Ont., Aug. 2.—The dividing wall between McInnes and Furness, and the eastern wall facing John street block is a complete ruin. The John street wall will have to be taken down. McInnes' block lost $150,000, insured for $165,000; Turner, Livingston & Co., stock, $40,000 to $50,000; Sandford, Vail & Bickley, loss to buildings and stock estimated at $60,000; stock insured.

At the time the walls fell, James Ivory, William Seymour and John Nibb were fixing gas pipes, and were buried in the ruin.

The Bank of Hamilton, Provident and Loan Association, and Merchants' Bank lost only some office furniture.

OTTAWA, July 31.—It is stated that the Dominion Government has determined not to renew the Order-in-Council prohibiting importation of American cattle into the five eastern provinces on its expiration September 6th.

QUEBEC, Aug. 4.—A family named Moffett, consisting of seven persons, were poisoned from eating bread which had been standing in the same place with Paris green. Three are dead.

American Mail.

[Per steamer Isabel.]

It is reported in New York that certain Jews have determined upon a plan of retaliation upon the managers of Manhattan Beach, for their action in prohibiting Israelites from visiting there. The scheme is to organize daily excursions of negroes from the city, whose expense will be paid by a fund subscribed by the indignant Jews. By advertising and shewd tactics it is expected large parties of negroes can be sent there daily.

GALVESTON, July 29.—John Baker, accused of the murder of young Holloman last January, out on bail, was shot and instantly killed last night. He was attending a camp meeting near here. While standing in a crowd under the trees some one placed a pistol to his head and fired. The assassin escaped unrecognized in the confusion.

EAST FARMINGTON (Wis.), July 29.—John Kranz, a farmer, drove into a lake to water his horses, and the animals becoming frightened, ran into deep water, upsetting the wagon and drowning Kranz and five children. The sixth swam out. The eldest was a girl, seventeen years old.

A Washington special of June 6th says that Gen. Grant writes as follows: "I have now been in Peking three days, and have seen all that is of interest in the city. I found China and the Chinese much as you have often described them. It is not a country or people calculated to invite travel or to make a second visit to; but the Chinese are a people of wonderful shrewdness and industry, and are rapidly monopolizing trade as carriers, merchants, marketers and servants, from Bombay eastward. Then too, their leading men seem to have a thorough appreciation of the necessity for internal improvements, such as railroads, etc., but have a horror of introducing them with foreign capital and under foreign management. Their idea seems to be rather to educate a sufficient number of their young men abroad to fit them as engineers, machinists, soldiers, sailors, etc., and then to make their improvements with their own men and means. My belief is that in less time from now than half a century Europe will be complaining of the rapid advance of China."

English Mail.

[Per Steamer Isabel.]

The late Prince Imperial, in his early teens, read chiefly histories which treated of his great-uncle's battles. No boy ever cared so little for novels. Beyond the historical romances of Alexandre Dumas and Walter Scott, he scarcely touched any works of fiction at all. His temper was always exquisitely sweet. Whenever it was possible to grant a petition, the Emperor was sure to do so if it came through his son's hand, for he doted on the boy, and would have let him have his own way in all things. The Empress was rather firmer, and kept the young prince under a curb which was good for him; and it was chiefly owing to her wise and even guidance that he became what Frenchmen call "*un jeune homme bien elere*," and Englishmen, a perfect gentleman.

Prince Bismarck in the last stage of the debate on the Tariff Act in the German Reichstag denied that the constitutional right of Parliament to vote supplies had been in any way shaken. He had felt himself abandoned more and more by the National Liberal party, but he had not broken with any party. His constant endeavor was to create and maintain the unity of Germany, and he had joined with all who had supported him in this purpose. The Government must, however, never be dependent upon parties, but must always follow the course which it had marked out for itself and recognized as the right one. The Ministry would not allow itself to be driven from the path it had now adopted. He considered that the financial pressure had now been greatly alleviated, and he believed that the financial work at present being accomplished would be productive of great blessings. "I myself," proceeded the Chancellor, "will pursue this war to the end, for I have perceived that it is best for the welfare of the country. Whether I thereby reap hatred or love is a matter of indifference to me."

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Effect of the Illumination in the Paris Salon.

The Paris correspondent of the *London Standard* writes:

The Salon is now illuminated at night by electricity from 8 o'clock to 11, and the experiment has been tried long enough to enable us to form an opinion of its results. It largely increases the attendance, and is evidently an immense boon to thousands of artisans and small shop keepers who cannot leave work in the daytime. In this respect it might be commended to the notice of the Royal Academy, and from a businesslike as well as a philanthropic point of view. The light, though not absolutely satisfactory, is still far from being a failure. The colors are not changed, but they certainly undergo modification; they are, however, seen to far better advantage than by any other kind of artificial illumination. Green, always the most treacherous and uncertain of colors, loses a good deal of its purity in this intense moonlight; the gray dims, and where they have been used as a background the compositions stand out in extraordinary relief. The basis of the mechanical application is the well-known large globe of ground glass—only in the picture galleries this, instead of being fixed on posts, as in the Avenue de l'Opera, is suspended from the ceiling. In the sculpture garden below the ordinary street lamp posts are used. Behind each globe upstairs there is a powerful metal reflector, not unlike an old-fashioned coal scuttle, which shuts out all the light from the centre of the room and throws it upon the pictures. Six or eight lights serve for each room, according to its size. As they are fixed at some distance from the floor they illuminate the upper rows of pictures better than the lower, so that at night time it is a distinct advantage to be hung above the line. The almost rejected of the hanging committee are now, therefore, the first to attract popular notice. There is another and a still more striking peculiarity. Speaking broadly, only one picture can be seen at a time; those which catch the oblique ray (at least when the spectator is at the same angle as the source of the light) are blurred out of all recognition. A similar effect of daylight in obscuring pictures not regarded from the right point of view is in fact intensified; the forms and even the colors are lost, and nothing is perceptible but the shine of the varnish and the streaky marks of the brush. Two or three of the smaller composition may, indeed, be fairly taken in at one glance, but the larger canvas seems to stand out from surroundings of perfect obscurity. Each picture thus has its chance, in that you have only to put yourself in the proper position for a view of it to have the other shut out from notice without any effort of the will. The lights in the sculpture garden having no shade illumine the place in all directions, and play at cross purposes with the statues. The full light of day always falls in one direction, according to the position of the sun, but instead of having only one sun to reckon with at night the unhappy sculptors have now fifty-five moons, which flood their works with obtrusive brightness in the front, flank and rear. The statues are not the only objects that suffer; the strangely altered appearance of many Parisian beauties who have been beguiled into the Palais de l'Industrie seems to show that a continuance of this method of illumination will necessitate a change of methods in other branches of imitative art. Colors that have been laid on with the greatest nicety of judgment for gas or candle light effects lose much of their harmony and nearly all their freshness in this moonlight glare. But this part of the subject must be tremblingly dismissed from notice on account of the magnitude of the interests involved.

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INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

ROGERS & WILSON, Plaintiffs; HENRY McDERMOTT, of Barkerville, Defendant.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED IN this cause. GEO. BYRNES, Official Assignee. Barkerville, B.C., Aug. 11, 1879. au12dwtf [Government Gazette copy.]

FOR LONDON DIRECT.

THE BRITISH BARQUE ROVER OF THE SEAS, JAMES GAUDIN, Master, Will load at our wharf for the above port, sailing early in September. For Rates of Freight, etc., apply to WELCH, RITHET & CO. Victoria, B.C., 11th Aug., 1879. au12

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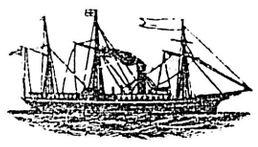

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Kane Street Ladies' School.

THE CLASSES IN THE KANE STREET LADIES School reopen on Monday, Aug. 11th. au10 MRS. CRIDGE, Lady Principal. [Standard copy.]

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INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of STEPHEN M. NELSON, an Insolvent

THE INSOLVENT HAVING FILED WITH ME a Deed of Composition and Discharge, signed by the requisite proportion of his creditors, notice is hereby given that a meeting of his creditors will be held at my office, Wharf street, Victoria, on Monday the 25th inst., at 11 a.m., to take such deed or offer of composition and discharge into consideration. C. T. DUPONT, Assignee. Victoria, August 8th, 1879. au10

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAS SOLD 21 HORSES in this city during the last month and has a Few left Ready Broken to Harness and Saddle, Which he would like to sell TO-MORROW at J. P. Davies & Co.'s Cattle Sale Yard, as he wishes to return home on Tuesday's boat. au10dw H. STEVENSON.

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THIS HOTEL HAS BEEN ENTIRELY REFURnished and renovated, and the CHARGES WILL BE VERY REASONABLE. ☞ NO CHINESE will be employed in any capacity about this establishment. The patronage of the resident and traveling public is respectfully solicited. au7 J. V. WANGENHEIM, Pro r

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1 No. A. KIRBY REAPER, with extra Fixtures.
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160,000 HAVANA CIGARS will be sold a bargain to close consignment.
First-class Double & Single HARNESS.
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☞ The above Properties will be sold on Easy Terms, ranging from Two Hundred and upwards.

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MUSIC.

DIGBY PALMER HAS RETURNED from Puget Sound and will resume his TEACHING THE PIANOFORTE, SINGING AND TUNING. jy30 1m FORT STREET.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WALTHAM WATCHES, DIRECT FROM THE FACTORY, AT C. REDFERN'S, GOVERNMENT STREET,

Where they can be purchased THIRTY PER CENT. LOWER than they have hitherto been sold in Victoria.

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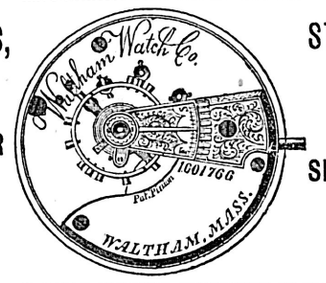

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CHEW VENABLE'S RED TAG NAVY TOBACCOS, THE BEST IN THE MARKET, —FOR SALE BY— J. RUEFF & CO., WHOLESALE GROCERS, jy24 WHARF STREET, VICTORIA.

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QUEEN'S MARKET, VICTORIA, V. I. jy12

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

SHORT & SIMPSON, GUN AND RIFLE MAKER FORT STREET, OPPOSITE SCOTCH HOUSE, Has Received from London direct, a Large Assortment of DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELED GUNS CENTRAL FIRE BREECH LOADERS, FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY. Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Bolts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-Loaders, and a Full Assortment of Gun Tackle. GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED mh11

JOHN J. RUSSELL

THANKING THE PUBLIC FOR PAST FAVORS, begs most respectfully to announce that he has disposed of his Landeau and Stable to A. W. Lawson, and hopes a liberal patronage will be extended to his successor. JOHN J. RUSSELL. au9 1m

PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MR. GEO. F. D. Simpson has been this day admitted into partnership by Mr. Henry Short, gunmaker and importer, Fort street, and the business will in future be conducted under the firm name of Short & Simpson, Gunmakers and Importers. Fort street, Victoria, Aug. 8, 1879. HENRY SHORT, au9 GEORGE F. D. SIMPSON.

LOST.

A REWARD OF FIVE DOLLARS ($5) WILL BE given at this office to any person returning to the owners a Satchel, which was dropped on Quadra street on Friday the 8th inst. The satchel contains articles of value only to the owner. au9

COMMERCIAL BUREAU OF OREGON & THE NORTHWESTERN TERRITORIES

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THE OBJECT OF THIS BUREAU IS TO RECover past due claims that creditors have found it impossible to collect. Mr. M. J. Eagan, agent for the Bureau in British Columbia, invites the business men of the Province to become members. Local Attorneys have been appointed at all the principal places throughout the Northwest and prompt collections are guaranteed. Prospectuses obtained on application. au6 1w

MR. A. C. ELLIOTT, BARRISTER-AT-LAW, au3 LANGLEY STREET, VICTORIA.

Daily Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, AUG. 12TH, 1879.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Aug. 11—Str Enterprise, New Westminster
Str Wilson G. Hunt, Nanaimo
Slp Triumph, Gulf of Georgia
Str Isabel, Pt Townsend
Str Woodside, Sooke
Slp Kate Stevens, San Juan

CLEARED.

Aug. 11—Str Enterprise, New Westminster
Str Wilson G. Hunt, New Westminster
Str Cariboo-Fly, Nanaimo
Str Woodside, Sooke
Slp Kate Stevens, San Juan

FOREIGN SHIPPING.

Port Blakely, Aug. 6—Sailed—Bk Willard Mudgett, Sydney, N.S.W.

Port Townsend, Aug. 7—Arrived—Brig T.W. Lucas, Honolulu.

Hull, Aug. 6—Arrived—Br ship Gov. Tilley, San Francisco and Queenstown.

Callao, July 10—Arrived—Br bark Guiding Star, San Francisco.

San Francisco, Aug. 7—Arrived—Br. ship Lizzie C. Troop, Callao; bk Revere, Departure Bay.

Sailed—Ship J. A. Thompson, Cork.

Sails—Wednesday, Str Victoria, Victoria.

Port Gamble, Aug. 7—Arrived—Brig T. W. Lucas, Honolulu.

Port Blakely, Aug. 7—Arrived—Bktn Amelia, Honolulu.

Port Discovery, Aug. 7—Arrived—Brig Deacon, San Francisco.

Deal, Aug. 7—Arrived—Ships Frank Pendleton and Conqueror, San Francisco.

Havre, Aug. 7—Arrived—Ship Chas. Dennis, S. F.

At London, July 28—Br bk Prince Rupert, Victoria.

Deal, July 28—Sailed—Br bk Lady Head, Victoria.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str Isabel, fm Puget Sound—Fell & Co, J Mixlie, F&Co, J Levy, J Lorenzo.

IMPORTS.

Per str Isabel, fm Puget Sound—1 oil mill, 5 cs bacon, 40 sks flour, 3 sks oysters, 4 pkgs hd goods, 1 horse.

BIRTHS.

On the 10th inst, at Woodfield, James Bay, the wife of Thos. C. Nuttall, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

At Advent Church, San Francisco, August 2, by Dr. W. L. Githens, Captain J. E. Lennan to Annie B. Bunster, daughter of Hon. A. Bunster, of Victoria, British Columbia.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

W. R. CLARKE & CO. will sell at 11 o'clock, at salesrooms, Pilotage Vessels and Plant.

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

THE BRITISH COLONIST IS THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES! ITS VALUE AS A NEWS AND ADVERTISING MEDIUM IS THEREFORE APPARENT.

Letters Detained for Postage at Victoria P. O.

AUGUST 11, 1879.

Atwood, Master W., Victoria
Dougall, Master J., Victoria
Hausser & Co., New York
Lawson, H. W., Wellington, N. Z.
Lilley, A., Victoria
McLay, R., Cowichan
Nelson, A., San Francisco
Rey, F., Canada
Smith, J., Victoria
Sluggart, J., Saanich
Thompson, Mr., Saanich
Wilkie, O., New Westminster

City of Chester's Passengers.

[Exclusive Dispatch to The Colonist.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—Passengers for Victoria per City of Chester sailing at noon Aug. 9th: F. A. Splisbury, W. Wearman, Col. Lowell and servant, Lt. Hussey, Jas. Mathers, W. Zeilier, Mrs. Reising and son, C. C. Walsch, G. Folks, Col. Strange, Capt. Hunnell, M. Baker, Geo. Barradah, Capt. Fulton, A. Bunster, Geo. Tilbury, C. Ascough, Wm. Wallis, Mary Willice, Chas. Humphrey, Alex. McLarn, J. Delibach and brother, T. Cotter, Miss Noonan, Miss Hutmann, T. H. Mathews, Jno. Melville, R. Dunlop, S. Hanson, W. Purvis, T. Harding, wife and three children, A. Barber, J. B. Dixon and wife, J. R. Marshall, T. Close, Alex. Thompson and seven Chinese.

San Francisco Stock Market.

[Exclusive Dispatch to the Colonist.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 11.—Ophir 35; Mex 29; G & C 10⅞; B & B 18⅜; Cala 5¼; Savage 12⅝; Con Va 5½; Chollar 6½ bid; Potosi 4¾; H & N 14½; Point 4.65; Jacket 16¾; Imperial 1.45; Kentuck 4½; Belcher 4¼; S Nev 42⅞; Utah 18¾; Bullion 6⅜; Exchequer 6⅜; Overman 9½; Justice 3.35; Union 49; Alta 6⅝; Julia 4.30; Caledonia 2.10; Ward 1.65; N Bonanza 1.60; Flowery 60.

MAINLAND ASSIZES.—The following business was transacted at the Mainland Assizes before Mr. Justice Gray: Regina *vs.* Jack, an Indian, convicted of larceny, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment.... At Kamloops, Tom, a Chinaman, convicted of wounding J. Beddard, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment.... At Clinton, Wya Chutle, an Indian, was found guilty of having murdered a Chinaman two years ago, and sentenced to be hanged.... At Barkerville, James Robinson was convicted of wounding John Montgomery at Quesnelmouth and sentenced to three years' imprisonment. John Scott, indicted for a similar offence, was found guilty and sentenced to six months' imprisonment.... The case of Regina *vs.* Glassey, at Kamloops, was dismissed, the prosecuter not appearing and the depositions being defective.

MARINE.—The steamer Alexander arrived in port yesterday morning, having towed to sea the American bark Fanny Skolfield, Capt. Dunning, laden with coal from South Wellington mine, Departure Bay, and bound for San Francisco.... The bark C. B. Kenny will leave Royal Roads under sail to-day and proceed to Port Madison, W.T., there to load spars for Boston and Portland, Maine.... The Italian bark Orzero (1000 tons), Capt. Greglio, sailed from Callao on June 21st for this port and is now due. The British ship Magna Charta sailed on the 3d ult., also for this port.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION. — The steamer Wilson G. Hunt has been chartered to make a moonlight excursion on the night of the 31st inst. The somewhat novel character of the affair combined with the enjoyment of the evening atmosphere and a breeze will doubtless attract a large number of pleasure seekers.

THE WEEKLY COLONIST, replete with telegraphic news from all parts of the world and full of local and European news of interest, is ready for mailing this morning. For sale at all the bookstores and at *The Colonist* stationery establishment.

FOR THE NORTH.—The steamer Western Slope will leave here to-morrow afternoon, after the arrival of the New Westminster steamers, for Fort Wrangel and way ports. She will have on board about 60 tons of freight.

THE alarm of fire on Sunday was caused by burning brush on Queen's Avenue.

Election of School Trustees.

A meeting of voters was held at the City Hall yesterday at noon for the purpose of electing two trustees of the Victoria public schools for the ensuing term of office. The attendance, although limited, was somewhat in excess of that on several former similar occasions. On motion Mr. Chas. Hayward was unanimously elected to the chair. The Secretary of the Board of Trustees having read the minutes of the previous annual meeting, which were adopted, proceeded to read the following report of the trustees for past year.—

Report of Victoria School Trustees, 11th August, 1879.

TO THE RATEPAYERS:—

Your Trustees beg to report that the Victoria schools continue in a state of efficiency so far as regards the staff of teachers which in their opinion is superior to any other in the province.

The chief want of the schools at present is a supply of maps, globes and teaching apparatus. It is to be hoped that the Trustee Board as reconstructed to-day will succeed in obtaining the necessary funds from the government to supply this want, as it is evident that in education as in other callings however great the talent of the worker without the best tools the best of work cannot be done.

The Public School Act of last session repealed former school Acts and placed the High School under the control of your Trustees. Considering the increased power now vested in your Trustees it is important that due care should be exercised in their selection. There are today two vacancies to be filled, caused by the resignation of J. H. Turner, and W. Wilson's term of office expiring. The latter is not a candidate for re-election. Elected in 1874 and having served since that date he is of opinion that it is not well to go in for a monopoly of the position and therefore now wishes and intends to take a back seat.

The following changes affecting your schools have taken place during the past year: Supt. Jessop resigned; C. C. McKenzie appointed Superintendent; J. D. Pope, principal of high school, resigned and J. H. McLaughlin appointed; Mr. Phinney, teacher, resigned on account of small salary; Messrs. Clemitson, Struthers and Thomson appointed teachers. The attendance at your schools is as follows for the past year:

High School—Boys 54, girls 22; total 76. Average attendance 43·62.

Boys' School—Total 246. Average attendance 154.

Girls' School—Small boys 95, girls 309; total 404. Average attendance 204·10.

As all payments are now made by requisitions upon the Government the Treasurer of the Trustee Board has no cash account to place before you.

On motion of Mr. Thos. Nicholson, the report as read was adopted.

On the suggestion of the Chairman the nomination of candidates to fill the vacant seats on the Board of Trustees was then commenced.

Mr. Alex. Wilson nominated Dr. Ash; Mr. Millar nominated Mr. Thos. Nicholson; Mr. N. Shakespeare nominated Mr. D. Spencer; Mr. Thos. Nicholson nominated Mr. Geo. Stelly; Mr. J. D. Robinson nominated Mr. Thos. Russell; Mr. J. Crowther nominated Mr. Thos. Shotbolt. Messrs. Stelly and Russell declined candidature.

On motion Mr. H. F. Heisterman was elected Secretary of the meeting and the election was proceeded with. The Chairman stated that according to the provisions of the Act the poll could not be closed until 4 p.m. and that the voting would be open.

At the close of the poll Mr. N. Shakespeare handed in the following protest: "I hereby give notice that I protest against the election of School Trustees on the ground that the votes have been taken contrary to section 18 of the Public Schools Act, 1878."

[Note—The section under which the protest was taken says that the votes shall be taken by the Chairman and registered by the Secretary. The Secretary elected by the meeting was unavoidably absent during part of the proceedings, but his duties were performed by a competent person left in charge of the voting list.]

The Chairman said that the election had been conducted fairly and that no injustice had been done to anyone. No one had suffered from the absence of the Secretary and every person claiming to be properly qualified to vote had exercised his privilege without let or hindrance. He considered that the protest amounted to nothing and declared the result of the election to be as follows: Nicholson, 90; Shotbolt, 79; Ash, 72; Spencer, 51.

Mr. Shakespeare said that, notwithstanding the ruling of the Chairman, who had no right under the Act to deal with the protest, he would take steps to give his protest effect.

The Chairman declared the meeting dissolved and the few voters present then dispersed.

FUNERAL.—The funeral of the late Mr. P. N. Compton, who died at Gonzales Farm near this city on Saturday morning laet after a brief illness, took place yesterday from the residence of his family on Amelia street. The deceased, who came to this Province on board the steamship Labouchere in 1859 acted in the capacity of purser of that vessel until she was wrecked. He was at that time and subsequently in the employ of the Hudson Bay Co., by whom the Labouchere was owned. Although comparatively young, being only 41 years of age, the deceased had travelled in many foreign countries and was a very fluent linguist, speaking no less than eight different languages. Besides this he had a perfect acquaintance with the dialects of the various tribes of the coast and interior of British Columbia. He was of a genial nature and kindly disposition and will be missed by a large circle of friends. He leaves behind him a wife and three young children who have the sympathy of the community in their hour of sorrow.

FROM PUGET SOUND.—The steamer Isabel arrived here at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Port Townsend with the overland mails, several tons of freight and the following passengers: Miss Reynolds, Mrs. Hastings and two children, Miss Cook, Miss Hilton, Mr. and Mrs. Packard, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kenny, Mrs. Baker, Messrs. O'Toole, Bloomberg, H. F. Smith, Van Liebergen, Whitney, Fry, Mason, three Chinese and one Indian.

MILITARY COMPANIES AT SCHOOLS.—An order has been issued at Ottawa regarding drill companies at schools. The companies will be confined to universities, colleges, normal and high schools. British Columbia will be allowed to form one company of not less than fifty members. Arms and accoutrements and a drill instructor will be supplied by the Government.

SIR ARTHUR GOODWIN, the newly appointed English Governor of Fiji, and party, and Captain L. F. Knollys, English army, have arrived at San Francisco.

Municipal Police Court.

[Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.]

MONDAY, Aug. 11.

William Murphy, d. and d., bail estreated. George Reid, d. and d., fined five shillings or 6 hours' imprisonment. Johnny, an Indian, charged with wounding with intent, fined $10 or in default one month's imprisonment. Peter, an Indian, d. and d., fined five shillings. W. Davis, charged with assaulting a Chinaman. Summons dismissed. E. Chapman, assault on a Chinaman, fined $10 or in default one month's imprisonment. Michael Rourke, summoned for striking Geo. Imbert with a whip. Summons dismissed. Indian Jimmy, assaulting Johnny, an Indian. Fined $20, or in default two months' imprisonment.

Waltham Watch Agency.

The undersigned hereby respectfully notifies his customers and the public generally that he is the

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and has been for the PAST SIX YEARS. On account of a reduction at the factory he now offers the

GENUINE WALTHAM WATCH, COIN SILVER CASE

with certificate from the factory

FROM THIRTEEN DOLLARS

and upwards. Prices never before heard of in Victoria.

G. W. A. LANGE,
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ROWING INTELLIGENCE.—On Monday last David Leahy, the champion oarsman, who beat Nelson the previous day, telegraphed to William Cotsford, of Victoria, British Columbia, accepting his challenge, heretofore published, "to row any man on the Coast for $1,000," and offering to pay his expenses here. Wednesday evening Leahy received a reply from Cotsford, saying that he would row him at Victoria, "in one of Jones' boats, without sliding seat." To this Leahy replied yesterday, to the effect that he would not row in the boats proposed, but would row Cotsford "best and best boats," and go to Victoria, or allow his expenses here. Cotsford's reply is awaited with interest by San Francisco oarsmen.—*S. F. Call, August 1st.*

A CHINESE SMUGGLER. — Captain Ang Chang, a Chinaman, with a Cowichan Indian woman for his wife, has been driving a thriving business smuggling goods to the islands in the Canal de Haro. Last week his sloop was seized off Stuart's Island by the U. S. revenue cutter and towed to Port Townsend. The captain escaped.

ON VIEW.—Mr. Charles, Manager of the Hudson Bay Company, has kindly permitted Capt. W. R. Clarke to bring the schooners, sloops and boats belonging to the Pilot authorities alongside of the Hudson Bay Company's wharf to-day, and they will lay there for public inspection until the day of sale. *

NOT MURDERED. — With reference to the sudden death of an Indian at Ladner's Landing the other day, Mr. W. H. Ladner assures us that the man died of heart disease, and not from smoking a poisoned pipe. He had been ailing for a long time, and the body was decently coffined and sent to Victoria for interment.

MARRIAGE OF MISS BUNSTER. — Miss Annie Bunster, daughter of Hon. A. Bunster, was married at San Francisco on the 2nd inst. to Captain J. E. Lennan, a prominent citizen of San Francisco. The bride's father was present at the nuptials and gave away the bride.

THE PILOT BOATS, all staunch and well-formed craft, will be sold at auction this morning by Captain Clarke. Bargains may be expected. The vessels are moored at the H. B. Co.'s wharf.

SALMON.—Sales of 5000 cases pounds at $1.12½, and 3000 cases 3-pounds at $1.75, are reported from San Francisco.

THE Police Department of Portland, Ogn., (says the *Oregonian*) has cost the city $135,964.18 in nine and a half years.

Programme for the Annual Meeting at Ottawa.

OTTAWA, July 29.—The programme for the annual prize meeting of the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association, which meets at Ottawa on Tuesday, 16th September next, and following days, has been printed. The Marquis of Lorne appears as patron for the first time. The list of matches includes the following:

All Comers' Match, 50 prizes of the total value of	$385
Dominion of Canada Match, 50 prizes of the total value of	680
Battalion Match, 8 prizes of the total value of	330
MacDougall Challenge Cup Match, 42 prizes of the total value of	350
Provincial Match for London Merchants' Cup 38 prizes of the total value of	418
The Minister of Militia prize, 31 prizes of the total value of	200
Afflicted Association Match, 43 prizes of the total value of	470
His Excellency the Governor-General's prize, extra series No 1, 19 prizes of the total value of	120
Extra series No. 2, 18 prizes of the total value of	150
Skirmishing Match, 8 prizes of the total value of	100
Small-bore Match, 18 prizes of the total value of	245
Grand aggregate	$3,448

The following are the conditions of the competition for his Excellency the Governor-General's prize: To be competed for with Snider-Enfield rifles at 200, 500, and 600 yards, 10 rounds at each range, by the 30 competitors making the highest aggregate scores in the 1st, 2nd, 4th, 5th, and 8th matches; the competitor making the highest score to be winner of his Excellency's prize of 50 pounds sterling and a special badge, each of the nine next highest competitors to receive a badge somewhat similar to that of the "Queen's Sixty" at Wimbledon. The Wimbledon team for 1880 is to be selected from the 30 competitors in the Governor-General's match of 1879, subject to the reservation with reference to Manitoba and British Columbia, as provided by a resolution passed at the general meeting.

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND SERVICE BOOKS, Devotional Birthday Books, Common Prayer Books, Text Books, for days and years, Prayer and Hymn Books, neatly bound, are among the volumes we have just received.—T. N. HIBBEN & Co. *

ST. CHARLES HOTEL (late the ADAMS HOUSE), will be reopened by Mr. J. Wagenheim, late of Portland, Oregon. The building has been refurnished and renovated. Opening day, Saturday, August 9th. *

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Morning Dispatch.

TURKEY.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 9.—The frigate Wyoming, with the American minister to Turkey on board, will cruise in the Black Sea. It will be the first time an American man-of-war has entered the Black Sea.

GERMANY.

BERLIN, Aug. 9.—Charitable contributions of the German people on the occasion of Emperor William's golden wedding, amount to considerably over two and a half million marks.

ITALY.

ROME, Aug. 10.—Ismail Pasha seems disposed to take up his residence definitely in Naples. The Italian government has determined to assign the Favorita palace to him.

HUNGARY.

SERAJEVO, Aug. 10.—The conflagration was prevented from spreading during Saturday. There were a few isolated outbreaks among the ruins and some of the warehouses are still burning. Some of the large firms in the city estimate that the damage will exceed 100,000,000 florins, but this is considered an exaggeration. The homeless people are camped in the squares and gardens. A relief committee has been organized and the Emperor of Austria forwarded 10,000 florins in aid of the sufferers.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—Vienna advices state that Lorrissa will shortly be occupied by Turkish troops. The Turkish force will be landed at Valo.

CANADA.

MONTREAL, Aug. 9.—A night's rest and reflection has renewed confidence in the stability of the banks. The fact of the City and District Savings bank keeping open until a late hour last night until every one in attendance was paid contributed in a great measure to the present quiet condition. The doors were thrown open this morning an hour before the usual time. About 50 people were in waiting and their demands were promptly met. The run continued in a modified form until 11 o'clock. At noon there were not a dozen persons at the counter and most of them were returning to the bank with the money they had withdrawn yesterday. It is now evident that the bank has surmounted its difficulty. The Ville Marie bank is still closed, but the officers says that they will reopen in a few days when a sufficient amount has been realized from securities to meet all demands. There is a moderate run on the Hochelaga bank, but the directors assert they will have no difficulty in meeting all requirements.

UNITED STATES.

MEMPHIS, Aug. 10.—Twenty-nine new cases were reported to-day—12 white and 17 colored. Five deaths have occurred.

Afternoon Dispatch.

AFRICA.

LONDON, Aug. 11.—Donald Mackenzie's West African expedition for the formation of a trading station at Cape Juby arrived there June 27th and were well received by the natives.

AUSTRIA.

The *Standard's* Vienna dispatch reports that the Danube flotilla which ought to have gone to Odessa is still at Rustchuk.

TURKEY.

A correspondent of the *Times* at Constantinople says the British fleet has left Mettilige for the Archipelago.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

EUROPE.

LONDON, Aug. 8.—Newman Hall, a Congregational pulpit orator, has obtained a decree of divorce from his wife on account of her adultery with one Richardson, a stable keeper. The trial created a great sensation. The wife brought counter charges of the same character. Hall admitted that he abandoned a previous action for divorce because he feared it would be an obstacle to his efforts to raise funds for a new chapel and for the "Lincoln memorial tower," commemorative of Abraham Lincoln.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 8.—Reports of the Russian customs department shows that the export of grain during May was 1,223,500 chetwerts less than for the corresponding period of last year. One million of this decrease was in wheat, and 200,000 in oats. The export of grain for the first five months of the present year was 13,948,579 chetwerts, against 18,511,150 chetwerts for the corresponding period of last year. Three million chetwerts of this decrease was wheat.

DUBLIN, Aug. 6.—The Home rule feud is daily becoming more irreconcilable.

PARIS, Aug. 6.—The landrath of canton Uri, Switzerland, voted to restore capital punishment for murder and for arson when involving the loss of life. The law must be ratified by a plebiscite.

LONDON, Aug. 7.—A report is revived that Lord Dufferin will be transferred from St. Petersburg to Constantinople, with instructions to insist upon the speedy execution of required administration reforms in Turkey.

LONDON, Aug. 4.—In the House of Commons to-night, after a protracted debate the vote of £3,000,000 for the Zulu war was agreed to without division.

Sir Stafford Northcote moved that the thanks of the House be given to Lord Lytton, Viceroy of Indiana, and the men of the Afghan expedition.

The Marquis of Hartington and others supported that part of the motion relating to the officers and men, but opposed the vote of thanks to Lord Lytton. After debate, Northcote's motion was adopted without division.

EASTERN STATES.

CAPE MAY, Aug. 1.—Rev. John Graham, D.D., of Brighton, England, was drowned to-day while bathing.

CALIFORNIA.

DIXON, Cal., Aug.—A frightful accident happened this afternoon which will probably result in the death of the wife of George C. McKinley. Threshers were at work in McKinley's field. Mrs. M. visited the scene of operations and on her return towards the house discovered that her clothes were on fire. She screamed for help, and ran with all speed, reaching the house with nearly the last vestige of clothes burned from her body and her flesh literally roasted. She now lies in a critical condition.

CANADA.

HALIFAX, Aug. 7.—Wreckers boarded the stranded steamer Bargos at Mariners' Cove and helped themselves to cargo, wheat and sheep and the furniture of the cabin, against the protests of captain. A portion of the property was recovered by authority. The wreckers numbered between three and four hundred men and had forty large and several small boats.

SOUTH AFRICA.

Sir Garnet Wolseley has resolved to occupy Ulundi until a government is peacefully established. Troops press Cetewayo on all sides.

Gen. Wolseley's interview with coast chiefs was satisfactory, but the latter consider peace impossible while Cetewayo is at large. The natives cannot understand the retirement of British forces from Ulundi, hence Gen. Wolseley will reoccupy it, and has summoned all chiefs to meet him there on the 10th August, to settle the question relative to the future of the country.

Operations against Cetewayo are by irregular and friendly natives. Arrangements are making to break up the first division and cavalry brigade and send the men home. Oham has undertaken to capture his brother Cetewayo.

THE WASHINGTON TREATY.

Negotiations for the Suspension of the Fishery Regulations.

WASHINGTON, D.C., July 29.—It has been learned officially to day that no conclusion has yet been reached between this Government and that of Great Britain as to what course shall be pursued in relation to the termination of the fishery regulations as demanded by Edmunds' resolution. Some time must necessarily elapse before the negotiations upon this subject will assume much importance. It is inferred from the conversation in official circles that nothing further will be done with the question until after the new American Minister to succeed Mr. Welch shall reach London.

DR. R. B. THOMPSON, Dentist, has returned from San Francisco and will resume the practice of his profession at the late residence of Sheriff Harris on Broad Street, on Wednesday, the 4th inst., at 9 a.m. *

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AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the year 1878 (1810 Policies)	£1,111,065 3 4
ANNUAL PREMIUMS on new Policies during the year 1878	£38,476 11 5
CLAIMS BY DEATH during the year 1878, exclusive of Bonus Additions	£439,897 13 8
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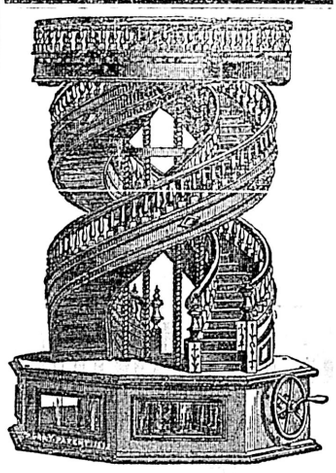

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MUNICIPAL BYLAW.

A Bylaw to prohibit the erection of Wooden Buildings within certain Fire Limits within the City of Victoria:

1. That such part of the City bounded on the North by Johnson street, on the South by Fort street, on the East by Broad street and on the West by the Water Frontage be hereby declared within the Fire Limits of the City of Victoria. The centre of Johnson to centre of Fort from centre of Broad shall be limits referred to above.

2. All Buildings hereafter erected within the Fire Limits shall have their outside Walls and party Walls made of Brick, Stone or other incombustible material and such outside Walls shall extend four feet above Wall Plate of Roof, and party Walls shall also extend to same height above Wall Plate of Roof. Roofs shall be covered with such material as will afford protection against Fire and the Walls shall be so constructed as to separate all Wood Work thoroughly and completely of the interior and exterior of such Building from all and every part of the interior and exterior of any adjoining Building. If the apex of Roof should exceed the height of Fire Walls, then the Roof must be covered with such material as will afford protection against Fire. In the case of Gables the Walls are to be carried up to the full height of the Apex of said Roof. The term Building, as applied in this Section, shall not include Privies or Sheds for storage of Coal, Wood or Wharf Sheds.

3. All Repairs to Buildings constructed of brick, stone, or other incombustible materials, shall be made to conform to this Ordinance.

4 The Wooden Building within the said Fire Limits shall not be altered or changed without the written permission of the Chief Engineer of the Victoria Fire Department, approved by a majority of the Fire Wardens, which permit shall specify fully the alterations or changes required, and no such permit shall be given if any increase will be made by the proposed change or alteration in the size of any Wooden Building within the said Limits, or if such repairs or alterations will increase the value of such building more than Twenty-five per cent. The applications therefor and a copy of each of such permits shall be kept on file in the office of the City Clerk.

5. No Building within the said Fire Limits shall be removed except to a portion of the same lot on which it stands or to a point outside the Fire Limits.

6. Whenever any building shall be by any means so much injured as to be, in the judgment of the Chief Engineer and a majority of the Fire Wardens, a dangerous nuisance, or when any Wooden Building within the said Fire Limits shall, in the judgment of the Chief Engineer and a majority of the Fire Wardens, be damaged by fire to the extent of one-half or more of its actual value, the Chief Engineer shall cause to be served upon the owner or person having control thereof a notice requiring such person to remove the same forthwith, and the person receiving such notice shall within ten days after receiving the same comply with the requirements thereof.

7. *One Story Buildings*—Foundations to be not less than eighteen inches in thickness and not less than eighteen inches in the hard clay or gravel, as the case may be, brick walls to be not less than twelve inches thick. *Two Story Buildings*—Foundations to be not less than twenty-two inches thick and not less than eighteen inches in the hard clay or gravel, as the case may be. *Brick Walls*—Ground floor to be not less than seventeen inches thick; first floor not less than twelve inches thick.

8. Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this Bylaw shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof before the Police Court shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten or more than one hundred dollars, and each day of maintaining or continuing such violation shall be deemed a new offence and punished accordingly.

9. The Chief Engineer of the Victoria Fire Department and the Fire Wardens are required to see that the provisions of this Bylaw are enforced and to make complaints in the Police Court for violation thereof.

10. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as "The Bylaw for Prohibiting the Erection of Wooden Buildings, 1879."

Passed the Municipal Council this Sixteenth day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-nine.

WM. LEIGH,
Clerk to the Municipal Council.

J. H. TURNER, MAYOR.

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MUNICIPAL BYLAW.

A Bylaw to Amend the Victoria Revenue Bylaw, 1879.

The Schedule A amended to the Bylaw entitled "The Victoria Revenue Bylaw, 1879," is hereby amended by the addition of the following words, which shall be read with and form part of the Schedule referred to in the said Bylaw:

"That each and every vehicle plying "for hire in the public streets of the City "of Victoria shall pay a rate of $2.50 for "every six months."

This Bylaw may be cited as The Victoria Amendment Revenue Bylaw, 1879.

Passed the Municipal Council this Sixteenth day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-nine.

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